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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**A PORTABLE STORAGE DEVICE CAPABLE OF BEING DIRECTLY CONNECTED
VIA USB PLUG TO A COMPUTER**

the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

X was filed on March 9, 2001 as United States Application Number 09/803,173 or International Application Number _____ and was amended on March 9, 2001, April 12, 2002 and March , 2004 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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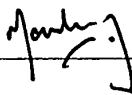
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I/we hereby appoint **Practitioners at Customer Number 007470** as my/our attorney(s) or agent(s) to prosecute the application identified above, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

Address all correspondence to **Customer No. 007470**
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believe to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full name of sole or first inventor (first name, middle initial, last name): Chong Seng Cheng

Sole or first inventor's signature  Date: 15/3/04

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Citizenship: Singaporean

Post Office Address: Same as above

Full name of second inventor (first name, middle initial, last name): Teng Pin Poo

Second inventor's signature  Date: 15/3/2004

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Citizenship: Malaysian

Post Office Address: 30 Loyang Way #07-13/14/15 Loyang Industrial Estate (S) 508769

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **Poo, Teng Pin**, residing at Apt Blk 44 Bedok South Road, #11-763, Singapore 460044, Singapore, citizen of Malaysia, (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR") is the inventor of the invention entitled **A PORTABLE DATA STORAGE DATA DEVICE CAPABLE OF BEING DIRECTLY CONNECTED VIA USB PLUG TO A COMPUTER** for which we have executed an application for a Patent of the United States

_____ which is executed on even date herewith

 X which was filed on March 9, 2001 as United States Patent Application Number 09/803,173 or PCT International Application Number _____ and was amended on March 9, 2001, April 12, 2002 and March , 2004 (if applicable).

and WHEREAS, Trek Technology (Singapore) Pte Ltd. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a Singapore Corporation having a business address at 30 Loyang Way #07-13/14/15, Loyang Industrial Estate, Singapore 508769 is desirous of obtaining our entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, WE, the said ASSIGNOR(s), have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from said United States application under the Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

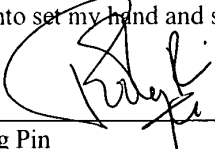
AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries. In the event that I am not an employee of ASSIGNEE at the time such aid is required, I agree to render such aid in return for an hourly rate of pay no greater than twice my equivalent regular hourly pay as it stood on the date of my departure from ASSIGNEE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year opposite my signature.

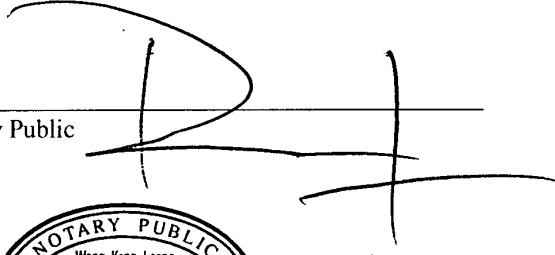
Date: 15/3/2004


Poo, Teng Pin

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In the State of Singapore, county of — on 15/3/2004, before me Rayney Wong Keng Leong, Notary Public, personally appeared Poo Teng Pin, personally known to me/proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal


Notary Public

